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C O N F I D E N T I A L OTTAWA 0086

E.O. 11652: GDS
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SUBJ: VIETNAMESE STILL SEARCHING FOR EMBASSY QUARTERS
IN OTTAWA

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1. HANCOCK, VIETNAM DESK OFFICER, EXTAFF, TOLD
EMBOFF JAN 11 THAT THERE HAS BEEN LITTLE MOVEMENT
IN GOC RELATIONSHIP WITH VIETNAM OVER PAST SEVERAL
MONTHS. VIETNAMESE ADVANCE PARTY HAS STILL NOT
LOCATED CHANCELLERY QUARTERS, HE SAID. THEY ARE
LOOKING FOR A LARGE PLACE, HE ADDED, FOR OFFICE
FACILITIES, STAFF QUARTERS AND FOR HOUSING VISITING
DELEGATIONS AND PRICE APPARENTLY REMAINS THE STICK-
ING POINT (REFTEL).

2. HANCOCK SAID THAT GOC IS GETTING CONSIDERABLE
HEAT FROM VIETNAMESE COMMUNITY IN CANADA ON DIVIDED
FAMILY QUESTION BUT THAT EXTAFF UNABLE TO MAKE
PROGRESS ON THAT ISSUE. CANADIAN AMBASSADOR
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MENZIES, RESIDENT IN PEKING AND ACCREDITED TO
VIETNAM, HOPES TO PRESENT CREDENTIALS AND RAISE
THE MATTER IN HANOI AT END OF FEBRUARY, ALTHOUGH
VIETNAMESE HAVE NOT YET AGREED TO THAT TIME.

3. NO MOVEMENT HAS ITS ADVANTAGES, HANCOCK NOTED.
EXTAFF HAS RECEIVED NO FURTHER REQUESTS FOR GOC AID

TO VIETNAM. HE ASSUMES THAT DELAY ATTRIBUTABLE TO
RECENTLY CONCLUDED PARTY CONGRESS AND FOREIGN
MINISTRY DESIRE TO RECEIVE SIGNALS FROM THAT CONGRESS
ON RELATIONS WITH CAPITALIST COUNTRIES.
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